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Our File No. 8362-CIP-CIP-DIV

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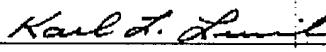
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Applicant/Patent Owner: Sargento Foods, Inc.

Application No./Patent No.: 10/626,304

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Entitled: A RESEALABLE BAG FOR FILLING WITH FOOD PRODUCT(S) AND METHOD

Sargento Foods, Inc., a Wisconsin Corporation

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